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Merchants desiring to participate in the Parade of July 5th, by the exhibition of floats, are kindly invited to present their applications to the Secretary of the "Parade Committee" on or before June 18th.

All displays must be in "Decorated Float Form," drawn by not less than two horses; name may appear but no advertising will be permitted.

The Committee reserve the right to accept or reject any application not in accord with the character of the procession.

By order of the Parade Committee,  
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## COLCHESTER

Rev. M. A. Sullivan Receives Degree of LL.D.—To Celebrate Silver Anniversary—Local Notes.

Rev. Michael A. Sullivan of Hartford received the degree of LL.D. at St. Lawrence college, Allegheny, Pa. on Tuesday. He will celebrate the 25th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on June 25. Among the speakers at the celebration will be the Rev. M. E. May of St. Andrew's church of this place. Father Sullivan was a native of Colchester and a graduate of Bacon Academy, class of '78. He was a great favorite with his classmates, who will tender him many greetings on his anniversary and wish him the best of success for the future.

Hobart Baker of East Haddam was in town Thursday.

Abraham Agronovitch was in Salem Thursday.

F. J. Bowen of Willimantic was here Wednesday.

Mrs. L. Kingsbury and daughter arrived at their summer home, on Broadway, Wednesday for the summer.

## At Camp Ground.

Mrs. Lucius C. Brown left Wednesday for a few days' stay at the Willimantic Camp Ground.

Mrs. F. A. Chapman was in Willimantic Wednesday.

Rev. M. H. May was the guest of friends in New London Wednesday.

Frank Williams of Westchester was in town Thursday.

George H. Ives of Mystic is at his sister's, Mrs. Frank B. Taylor's, on South Main street, for a few days.

## STATE BANKERS MEET.

C. C. Barlow of New Haven the New President.

Waterbury, June 17.—At the annual session of the Connecticut Bankers' association, held in this city today, the following officers were elected:

President—C. C. Barlow, the Yale National bank, New Haven.

Vice President—M. H. Griffin, City National bank, Danbury.

Secretary—C. E. Hoyt, South Norwalk Trust company, South Norwalk.

Treasurer—H. C. Lathrop, Windham National bank, Willimantic.

Executive Committee—C. L. Rockwell, First National bank, Meriden; F. A. Chamberlain, New Britain National bank, New Britain; W. I. Baldwin, Stamford National bank, Stamford; George E. Prest, National bank of Commerce, New London; H. W. Stevens, Hartford National bank, Hartford.

Matters relating to the banking interests of the state were discussed.

## C. C. BARLOW,

Newly Elected President.

Mr. Barlow's banking career covers a period of some thirty years. He was born in Cornwall, Litchfield county, and at an early age removed to New Milford, where he received his education. While still a boy, he entered the First National bank of New Milford as clerk, and after remaining there for a time was engaged as assistant to National Bank Examiner Mygatt. He remained in this position for about four years. In the year 1884 he was chosen to the position of teller of the First National bank of New Milford and remained there about seven years, when an opportunity came for promotion to a larger field of usefulness and in 1891 he accepted the position of teller in the Poquonock National bank of Bridgeport, which position he held for thirteen years. When in 1904 changes were made in the official bank of the Yale National bank of New Haven, and the position of cashier was vacant, Mr. Barlow, being highly recommended for the office, received the appointment from a list of about fifty applicants and has served the bank in that capacity ever since.

## NEW LONDON-GROTON FERRY.

Unfavorable Report of All Measures Affecting It—Contention Settled.

(Special to The Bulletin.)

Hartford, June 17.—The settlement of the contention over the New London-Groton ferry and its rates, which has occupied the attention of the committee on roads, rivers and bridges all of the session of every legislature in recent years, has been settled by the unfavorable report of all measures affecting it and their rejection by the house—and doubtless next week by the senate—in a manner which is highly satisfactory to all of the representatives and senators from that vicinity, with the possible exception of Senator Latimer of Groton. The chances are that Mayor Armstrong of New London and the Groton sympathizers who wished the rates of ferryage reduced and even offered to take over the ferry and run it at reduced rates may not feel as well pleased, but the owners of the Thames Ferry company doubtless are and the house members are especially satisfied over the fact that the fight over this matter will not get into the house, as it has done in some previous sessions. It is stated privately that if the committee had seen fit to recommend and the general assembly to pass a measure under which the rates would be reduced, the result would have been that the Thames Ferry company would be obliged to apply for a receiver or borrow money from family sources already carrying heavy burdens on account of the ferry which are hardly likely to be lightened. This was made plain to the committee and has been to members of the house. And while the offer made to take over the ferry and run it at reduced rates might have been taken up by the legislature, much doubt is felt as to whether those interested would have really come forward to carry out this offer, which was known to have been inspired by Mayor Armstrong.

The position of the committee on roads, rivers and bridges, of which Mr. Bushnell of Norwich is clerk, was never an easy one, for there has been considerable pressure brought to bear in favor of the Armstrong side of the contention. Especially was this true in view of the fact that Senator Latimer appeared before the committee at two hearings in favor of reduced rates of ferryage. But the sub-committee, which went to New London to look into the matter, which consisted of Messrs. Smith of Chester, LaFrance of Plainfield and Peck of Ellington, could see no reason why the committee should interfere in the conduct of the ferry as at present run and made that report to the full committee.

It is a noticeable fact in connection with this matter that the resolution providing for a committee to look into the matter of the state's taking over the ferries of the state does not mention the New London-

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During the past three years the Company has steadily reduced its expenses, so that it is enabled to make a further increase in benefits. Industrial insurance policies have a unit of weekly premium—three cents, five cents and multiples thereof—and the amount of insurance varies with the age.

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The Metropolitan in its Industrial Department has the lowest Ratio of Expense of all the Industrial Insurance Companies in the world which pay immediate benefits. In FIVE YEARS its

## Ratio of Expense to Premium Income has been Reduced

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## Annual Saving of Three and a Half Millions of Dollars

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## M. C. HIGGINS, Supt.,

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Groton ferry at all, and specifically shuts it out by referring only to the Connecticut river ferries. There is little likelihood of the state's taking the New London-Groton ferry over in the near future, especially as there is

a vast expense account ahead of us without assuming any new obligations. This legislature also, feels that the present situation furnishes no good reason why anything should be done about making the railroad drawbridge

at New London a highway bridge, but that this matter will not have progressed beyond the point where it can be well handled by the legislature of 1911 when that body comes into existence.

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